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SIDE PANELS FOR DISPOSABLE
GARMENT AND METHODS OF
MAKING THE SAME

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In response to the final Office Action mailed on 16 March 2004, please
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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include attached Replacement Sheets.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.